THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND (Baltimore Division)

In re:

Case No.: 02-54/62 51 PORTER-HAYDEN COMPANY,

Debtor. (Chapter 11)

> ORDER AUTHORIZING EMPLOYMENT OF PENTA ADVISORY SERVICES AS ACCOUNTANT AND FINANCIAL CONSULTANT

Upon consideration of the Application for Order authorizing and approving Debtor to retain PENTA Advisory Services ("PENTA") as accountants and financial consultants, that the consultant represents no interest adverse to the Debtor or to the estate in matters upon which they are to be engaged, that they have no connection to the Debtor, their creditors or other parties in interest and that their employment is necessary and in the best interests of the bankruptcy estate, it is this 4/k day of Mic, 2002, by the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Maryland;

ORDERED that the Debtor is authorized to employ PENTA as Accountant and Financial Consultant on an hourly rate schedule set forth in the Application, subject to approval of this Court.

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United States Bankruptcy Judge United States Bankruptcy Court for the

District of Maryland

E. STEPHEN DERBY JUDGE

